10th. (To the Directoire.) Fate has ordained, in this event as in so many others, that if we are given a great preponderance on the continent, to our rivals is given the dominion of the seas. However great our defeat, it is not attributable to the inconstancy of Fortune, for she has not yet abandoned us; far from it, she has favoured us more than ever before in our present undertaking.

Collect all our ships from Toulon, Malta, Ancona* Corfu, Alexandria, to form a new fleet.

Had I been master of the sea, I should have been lord of the Orient.

2*d, Cairo;

There shall be an Institute for Science and Art in Egypt, established in Cairo:

The chief object of this Society shall be$_{f}$ to develop and encourage learning in Egypt. All general officers of the French army shall be entitled to attend its missions* The proceedings of the Society shall In* printed,

£Sd. The Egyptian Institute held its first session on the Oth of 1'Yuetidor; ritoyen Bonaparte propounded the following questions:

Can the ovens iim*tl for baking army bread l>e improved in regard to exi>en,«*e or fuel, and if «o, how ?

Dot** Kgypt afford any tmlmtitute for hops in the brew-